## In the Court of Appeals of the State of Alaska

Rocky Seaman,

V.

State of Alaska,

Appellee.

Trial Court Case No. 3KN-19-00198CI

Court of Appeals No. A-13555

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